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Building Tradesmen Urge Public Works Program

The Building Trades Council of Alameda County as well as the general contractors' associations and other groups are urging a public works program for the City of Oakland to be carried on during the coming winter.

Several representatives of the Building Trades Council appeared before the city council last Thursday evening and requested that such a program be submitted to the people of Oakland along with other public projects to be voted upon at a special bond election in December.

Different speakers stated that Oakland was in dire need of a new museum, library, stadium, swimming pool and other public projects and that if these projects could be constructed now the federal government would pay 30 per cent of the actual labor costs.

The council recommended that a group of citizens be appointed to investigate such a program and report their findings back to the council as soon as possible.

Such a program would be substituted in place of charity and would be more than welcome to the people of Oakland at this time.

Lawless Law

Rabbi Irving F. Reichert, acting as a member of the California Compliance Board of the NRA, has told Governor Rolph in a telegram:

"In recent labor disturbances involving the fruit pickers, and in the tobacco industry, our investigations, which were not published, established the disconcerting fact that in the great majority of clashes between peace officers and the strikers, the former were responsible for inciting to violence."

Justice of the Peace J. H. Solkmore of Lodi is reported to have said in court of strikers brought before him:

"In some places they take men like these out and hang them. Don't be too sure they won't do it yet, right here . . . The jury system is a relic of medieval times, the recourse of guilty men who want to escape justice."

It is interesting to read together Rabbi Reichert's statement and Justice Solkmore's. If a justice will get so excited in open court in a labor case, one cannot but conclude that Rabbi Reichert is right in his statement that officers with guns in their hands get duly excited, too.

If law is to be respected, it must be respectable.—Examiner.

Celebrate Ninety-fourth Anniversary of Photography

This year marks the 94th anniversary of Portrait Photography, and studios throughout the country are celebrating it.

It was in the year 1840 that Professor John W. Draper of New York took the first portrait photograph in the United States. Draper's camera was constructed from an old cigar box, and for lens he used those from eye-glasses. For an hour his sister sat, with her head in a vise and her face powdered white with chalk.

Other experiments in photoplay had been going on for some time in Europe, but only objects had been photographed. In 1791, Wedgwood, after whom Wedgwood China was named, made the first actual photographic image, by putting a leaf on a sheet of leather treated with silver nitrate. The result he got was a delicate reverse of the leaf, and the picture could only be examined in very dim light, else it would completely darken.

But it was the American, Draper, who took the first portrait, and since then amazing strides have been made so that now beautiful and lasting portraits are well within the reach of all.

The 94th anniversary is being fittingly celebrated by the photographic studio of H. C. Capwell's basement store. Interesting old photographs are on display and special prices are being offered on the newest kind of portraits.

NRA Code Is Binding Without Boss' Name

It doesn't make any difference whether an employer signs the code for his industry or refuses to sign it.

After President Roosevelt approves a code it becomes binding on all employers in that industry and they must comply with its provisions or prepare for a dispute with Uncle Sam.

The National Recovery Administration made all that clear in a formal ruling last week.

Pioneer Farm creamery, Berkeley, is non-union. Please do not patronize.

Eltse Explains Attitude on Seamen's Bill; Says He Is For Higher Wages

Congressman Ralph R. Eltse feels that his attitude toward the Alien Seamen's bill has been misrepresented. Mr. Eltse is a Republican and is serving his first term from the Seventh District of California.

During the recent session of Congress, the House Committee on Immigration conducted hearings on the Alien Seamen's bill, which was introduced by Dies of Texas at the request of the Seamen's Union.

Mr. Eltse states that during the proceedings he remarked that it was the contention of the shipping interests that if the Dies bill became law American ships would be driven from the seas because they could not operate if their costs were increased.

"I was not reflecting my personal views," says Congressman Eltse in a statement to the press. "I was merely repeating a statement made by the representatives of the shipping interests.

"I will say now that I shall support legislation which will prevent the smuggling of aliens into the United States and the dumping of alien seamen into American ports. I stand unequivocally for the protection of American labor against cheap foreign labor of any kind.

"That my position may not be misunderstood, I would remind those interested that in my campaign for Congress I advocated strict immigration laws, a shorter work week, and a shorter work day.

"The standard of living of foreign labor is so much lower than that of American labor that we cannot permit an influx of cheap foreign labor and cheap foreign products and commodities which would demoralize and disrupt the American market for American goods and injure the American laboring man.

"I am entirely committed to the principle of good wages, a high standard of living for the American laboring man, and thoroughly believe in the doctrine of the right to collective bargaining. In a word, I am for America for Americans."

11,000,000 Jobless Hopelessly Seek Employment in Vain, Green Declares

Roosevelt's Program Found Work for 815,000 in August, But the Big Army of Idle Men and Women Still Beg in Vain for Work to Live By Their Labor.

Washington, D. C.—Eleven million American working men and women are still vainly, helplessly and hopelessly seeking jobs from the owners of industry, according to the monthly report on unemployment by William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor.

Although the impetus of the President's re-employment program is estimated to have put 815,000 jobless back to work in August, with continuing gains for September, the fact that the 12,204,000 unemployed in June only decreased to 11,001,000 in September indicates that the surface of the unemployment problem has merely been ruffled.

Pointing out that the resources of the 11,000,000 still jobless are completely exhausted and that the 3,500,000 families now supported by public relief is likely to increase to 4,500,000 during the coming Winter, Mr. Green declared that the greatest crisis in America's scourge of unemployment lies directly ahead.

"The President's re-employment program in its first month brought greater progress in employment than in any month since the depression," Mr. Green said.

"Reports of the Labor Department shows that in the 17 industries covered by their figures 750,000 persons went back to work from July 15 to August 15, and when other industries are added to this total the Federation estimate shows that, in all, 815,000 men and women went back to work in the month of August. This reduces unemployment to 11,001,000, according to our preliminary estimate.

Trade Union Employment Increases

"Trade union reports for the first part of September indicate that the re-employment program is still going forward. They show a larger employment gain in September than in August the largest gain in fact for any month since March, 1933, except June. In September 22.6 per cent of the membership were out of work, compared with 23.7 per cent in August, 24.1 per cent in July and 26.6 per cent in March. The gains were chiefly in full-time work, for part-time work did not increase. Of our 24 cities, 20 reported a gain in employment. Only one of the trade groups — theaters — reported an increase in unemployment, and there were substantial gains also in building, metal trades, manufacturing, service, street transportation, water transportation and railroads.

2,800,000 Jobs Restored

"Nevertheless, when one considers the 11,001,000 persons still out of work and looks ahead to winter months when more than a million will probably lose their jobs, progress in the conquest of unemployment seems slow indeed. But miracles do not happen even under the NRA, and the fact that more than 2,800,000 have gone back to work since March, when all industries are counted, is at least a beginning toward recovery.

"Unemployment has been reduced by 20 per cent since its peak in March. The largest gain was in factory employment where more than 1,500,000 went back to work; re-employment in other industries was: wholesale and retail trade, 300,000; building, 200,000; railroads, 100,000; farms, 100,000; service, 35,000; mines, 27,000; others, 500,000.

"This beginning of re-employment must not mislead us into thinking that the need for relief is over or that it is even decreasing. In spite of the return to work of 2,800,000 by August, the number of families on relief rolls in our principle cities in August was 85 to 90 per cent above August last year.

Relief Needs Grow

"The desperate condition of our unemployed families is cumulative. We are now feeling the results of four years of unemployment. If two or three million are better off by having jobs, eleven million are worse off from their long struggle for existence; their resources are exhausted, and hundreds are weekly applying to the public relief offices for the first time.

"Relief needs this winter will be greater than ever before. Three and a half million families were on the public relief rolls in August, and this number may increase to four and a half million before the winter is over. Care for those who are without resources is our first duty, and every American citizen with a spark of human sympathy will stand firmly behind National and State relief programs this winter, even when they mean higher taxes."

Unemployment Estimates

Mr. Green's statement included an estimate of the total number of unemployed throughout the United States each month during 1930, 1931, 1932, and 1933.

From 3,216,000 out of work in January, 1930, the number rose to 5,541,000 in December. In January, 1931, there were 7,160,000 jobless, the number jumping to 8,908,000 in December. The year 1932 started off with 10,197,000 pounding the pavements looking for jobs, the number increasing to 12,124,000 in December. In January, 1933, there were 13,100,000 out of work, the number increasing to 13,689,000 in March, the peak for all time, and falling to 11,001,000 in September.

Trade Union Unemployment

The following statistics on the percentage of unemployment in trade union membership were also given: January, 1930, 12.5; December, 16.6. January, 1931, 19.8; December, 21.8. January, 1932, 23.1; December, 25.4. January, 1933, 25.8; September, 22.6 (estimated).

Drive to Open Banks

President Roosevelt has taken personal charge of the drive to open the nation's closed and restricted banks. According to a White House statement it is hoped that by January 1 all but a few institutions will be doing business again.

Richfield Company Shortens Hours, Increases Wages

The Brotherhood of Teamsters' Union No. 70 announced recently that the Richfield Oil Company of Oakland has shortened the working hours and increased the wage scale of all tank truck salesmen of their company, and in addition has added three tank truck salesmen to their force, paying them the top wage scale.

This company employs members of the Teamsters' Union and should be given the patronage of union men, their families and friends when buying gasoline or oil. Other companies that are entitled to Organized Labor's support are:

Gilmore Oil Company, Texaco Oil Company, General Oil Company, McMillan Oil Company and Shell Oil Company.

Other companies not mentioned above do not employ members of the Teamsters' Union. Spend your union earned money with firms that are employing union men. Demand the union button or card when making a purchase.

Lathers' Union Holds Election of Officers

Following is a list of officers elected by Lathers' Union No. 88, at a regular meeting held October 2nd:

President, Geo. DeRungs; vice president, A. W. Thorne; secretary, Geo. Van Haltren; financial secretary and business agent, M. H. Matthiesen; treasurer, A. E. Lambert; sergeant-at-arms, Tom Newcum.

Delegate to the California State Council of Lathers, M. H. Matthiesen. Delegates to Golden Gate District Council of Lathers, M. H. Matthiesen, James Lloyd, A. W. Miller. Examining board, A. E. Lambert, Dalton Dodd, A. W. Thorne, M. H. Matthiesen, James Lloyd, A. W. Miller, Monte Tritch.

Labor Temple Association Meeting Next Friday Eve.

Officials of the Labor Temple Association of Alameda County have called a special meeting of the association for next Friday evening in the Labor Temple, 562 Eleventh street at the hour of 7 p. m.

All organizations now making their headquarters in the Labor Temple are requested to send a delegate to the meeting. Nomination and election of officers will be in order.

A report on the advertisement and the financial condition of the association will be given the delegates.

AFL Income, $457,923; Expenses, $424,236

Washington, D. C.—The receipts of the American Federation of Labor were $457,923.90 for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1933, and the expenses $424,236.07, according to the annual report of Frank Morrison, secretary of the federation. The receipts exceeded the expenses by $33,687.83.

The federation began the year with a balance of $368,444.97, and ended it with a balance of $402,132.80.

The per capita tax from affiliated unions amounted to $273,416.59. Initiation fees totaled $26,600.35. The federation received $12,973.14 in interest and $82,820.08 from the American Federationist.

The principal items of expense were: Organizers' salaries and organizing expenses $100,301.46; salaries of officers and office employes, $132,221.87; executive council meetings, $9,208.92; legislative expenses, including salaries and expenses of legislative committeemen, $10,779.18; supplies and printing, $16,220.27; printing and publishing American Federationist, $56,637.29; telegrams and telephones, $4,768.09; postage stamps, $9,110.15; expenses Cincinnati convention, $7,852.92.

Stay away from non-union dances. Oklahoma club, Pacific building, 16th and Jefferson streets and Roosevelt club, Moose hall, 12th and Clay streets, are unfair to Musicians' Union.

Attention All Carpenters! Special Meeting Tonight

Tonight in the Labor Temple, 562 Eleventh street, Oakland, Carpenters' Union No. 892 will hold an open meeting for all ex-members and members of the union. The meeting will start promptly at 8 p. m.

Prominent speakers will be present to outline the benefits of the NRA and many other matters of interest will be discussed.

Members of the union are requested to bring along a fellow carpenter so as to acquaint him with the benefits of organization. All carpenters of the bay district are invited to attend the meeting.

Its a Boy! Its a Boy! Hurrah! Says J. H. Quinn

Councilman J. H. Quinn has been going around all week, minus the buttons of his vest, because at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Providence hospital, old mother stork left the Quinn family a seven pound baby boy.

The councilman has used six spools of thread sewing the two top buttons back on his vest, his chest expanded so much; we are sure it was his chest because he doesn't wear a hat.

Quinn is all puffed up about it—and why shouldn't he be, being his first, and a boy, it means that another councilman will begin where the ol' man leaves off.

Mrs. Quinn is doing nicely—and so is daddy.

Much Interest At Meeting Of Operating Engineers 507

After the regular meeting of International Union of Operating Engineers, Local No. 507 Thursday, Oct. 5th, through the courtesy of the Otis Elevator Company, their Oakland representative, Mr. Leo R. Moody, displayed a series of slides illustrating the growth of the elevator industry. While the slides were run through the lantern by Bro. Bonney the various features and interesting details were discussed by Mr. Moody. Of particular interest were those slides depicting the first successful elevators and the history of the Otis Elevator Company from its early beginning as the Otis Brothers Company.

Included among the pictures were actual photographs or drawings of steam belt and hydraulic elevators as well as the first safety devices. An interesting item was the arrangement of two scenes one one slide comparing an average city structure of 1682 and a second average structure of 1882 or 200 years of growth in buildings prior to the general use of the elevator, and then a slide was shown of the most modern and tallest building in the world, the Empire State Building, 1252 feet high and served by sixty-seven high speed signal control Otis elevators.

The development of the early electric elevator was illustrated and explained with some interesting references to Mr. Eikemeyer, one of the first inventors of a successful streetcar and elevator motor, and an early employer of the late great Mr. Steinmetz.

The talk brought the elevator industry to the present standards and detailed some of the items in connection with the maintenance of elevator machines, ending with some illustrations of elevator equipment in detail.

Rap Spoils System

The National Letter Carriers' Association, meeting in Atlantic City, recently, adopted a resolution calling on the Federal government to place all postal positions, including those of postmasters, under Civil Service, and thus definitely end the spoils system in Uncle Sam's big mail carrying department.

Money Rolls In

Uncle Sam's finances continue on the upgrade. Revenue receipts for July and August totalled $294,273,298, more than double the total for the same months last year. Beer contributed almost $30,000,000 and while income taxes fell off $6,000,000. Inheritance taxes went up over $10,000,000.

Employers' Policy of Blacklisting Older Workers Condemned By AFL Council

Washington, D. C.—The anti-social policy of many corporations and individual employers to refuse employment to older workers was emphatically condemned by the executive council of the American Federation of Labor in their report to the federation's convention in session here.

"The policy of establishing an age limit for hiring workers is a grave menace to the older worker," the council said. "Developments of the last few years have brought no relief. In fact, this policy is, if anything, becoming more widespread. It had at the start a definite connection with the spread of employe benefit plans financed by the employer, such as a group insurance or old-age pensions; but age limits have now extended far beyond the field of such benefit plans.

Workers Over 45 Blacklisted

"The practice is so general that workers over 45 in many localities find it practically impossible to get a job, and workers of 40 and even 35 are also finding age limits applied against them.

"The far-reaching effect of this injustice to the worker is not fully realized. Men who have spent their lives in honest, conscientious work for an employer, who have developed skill and experience with the years, may be laid off and literally thrown on the scrap heap at 40 or 45.

Scrap Heap for Faithful Workers

"By the time a man has reached this age, his children are at the age when education and preparation for the future will determine the course of their lives. If he loses his job and income, the children are forced to leave school and go to work. Many a young man of ability has thus been forced to abandon the trade or career for which he was training and has never again been able to rise out of drudgery.

"The American Federation of Labor is opposed to discriminating against workers in industry on a basis of age as well as in other unfair discriminations. We also oppose the government's setting any maximum age for applicants for employment. The employment or retention of workers should be based upon competence to perform work, and not on arbitrary age limit."

Postal Clerks Adopt Important Measures

Convention Demands Abolition of 15 Per cent Wage Cut and Payless Furloughs.

Washington, D. C.—General satisfaction with the proceeds of the eighteenth convention of the National Federation of Post Office Clerks, held in Chicago, September 4-9, was expressed by the officials of the federation at its headquarters here.

The convention adopted as its paramount issue the restoration of salaries to the level previous to the 15 per cent reduction in basic pay and the imposition of payless furloughs.

Other objectives endorsed were a 30-hour week without a reduction in pay, vacation and sick leave with pay and increased earnings for substitutes, the establishment of equitable seniority and efficiency rating systems and a Civil Service Court of Appeals.

NRA Supported

A resolution was adopted endorsing the program of the NRA and pledging the support of the membership. The national officers were instructed to seek reductions in working hours and increases in pay in line with the NRA program.

At the opening session on Labor Day, First Assistant Postmaster General Joseph C. O'Mahoney announced the discontinuance of payless furloughs on September 30. This was in line with the assurance given to President Green of the American Federation of Labor on July 12 by President Roosevelt.

Reports of officers showed an average paid-up membership for the last year of 35,385. In response to an appeal from an unaffiliated group of post office clerks, a resolution was adopted to open negotiations for the amalgamation of all post office clerks in one organization under the banner of the American Federation of Labor.

Officers Elected

The following officers were elected: President, Leo E. George, Washington, D. C., reelected; legislative representative and editor, Gilbert E. Hyatt, Washington, D. C.; secretary-treasurer, William Otte, Washington, D. C., reelected; assistant secretary-treasurer, John M. Torka, Washington, D. C., reelected; first vice president, Harry C. Weinstock, Philadelphia, Pa., reelected; second vice president, John H. Mitcham, Spokane, Wash., reelected; third vice president, Karl L. Stimpson, Indianapolis, Ind., reelected; fourth vice-president, Carl T. Frisvold, San Francisco, Calif., reelected; fifth vice president, Charles U. Sentilles, New Orleans, La., reelected; sixth vice president, Miles Ventress, Miami, Fla., reelected; seventh vice president, Warren W. Harvey, Omaha, Neb.; eighth vice president, Emmett Whelan, Boston, Mass.; ninth vice president, John M. Keyes, Buffalo, N. Y.

Atlanta, Ga., was selected as the convention city for 1935.

Foster's White Lunches, Wilson's and Rainbow cafe are on the "We Don't Patronize" list.

4,000 Attend Letter Carriers' Convention

Delegates Endorse 5-Day Week Without Pay Loss, 30 Days' Sick and Annual Leave.

Washington, D. C. — The twenty-ninth convention of the National Association of Letter Carriers, held in Atlantic City, N. J., September 4-9, had the largest attendance in its history, approximately 4,000 delegates being present, according to a statement made by officials of the association at its headquarters here.

A parade was held on Labor Day, and in the line of march were 12 bands composed of letter carriers. The parade was reviewed by Postmaster General Farley, Congressmen James Mead of Buffalo, N. Y., and Clyde Kelly of Pittsburgh, Pa., and other dignitaries.

Platform Adopted

Postmaster General Farley announced at the convention on Labor Day that the payless furlough now in existence would be suspended during the months of October, November and December. The convention advocated government ownership of all post office quarters; a five-day week without loss of pay; heartily endorsed the American Federation of Labor and the association's membership herein; 30 days' sick and annual leave; advocated a restoration of the wage standard; deplored the 15 per cent cut and payless furloughs; advocated relief for the substitutes; urged the membership when purchasing articles to demand the union label, and directed a militant fight to secure a return of the privileges taken away under the guise of economy.

Officers Elected

Edward J. Gainor of Munice, Ind., was re-elected president, and M. T. Finan of Bloomington, Ill., was re-elected secretary. President Gainor was first elected as a national officer in 1901. Secretary Finan was first elected as a national officer in 1898. Both of these officers have been frequently elected without opposition.

Counting On Labor

Grover A. Whalen, chairman of New York's NRA organization, has issued a call to the 750,000 organized workers affiliated with the American Federation of Labor to join in the drive for consumer support for the NRA.

Thud!

Fifty of the leading stocks on the New York Stock Exchange lost $744,000,000 in value during the week ending September 30.

Carpenters' Special Meeting

Saturday evening, October 21st, Carpenters' Union No. 1158 will hold an open meeting at 2073 Allston Way, Berkeley.

Carpenters are asked to make an especial effort to be present. Meeting starts at 8 o'clock sharp.

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PUTTING RECOVERY ACT OVER

Conflicting interests surrounding and underlying the National Industrial Recovery Act are so deep-seated and stubborn that it will require more pressure and determination on the part of those in charge of its enforcement than ordinarily is required to successfully enforce most of our laws which are really clicking.

Enforcement of the N. I. R. A. to a point where its aims and purposes may be realized will be determined by how generally its provisions are carried into execution, as well as by the willingness of the majority of our people to go far enough in the direction of reducing hours of labor and increasing wages to end unemployment of the one hand and increase buying power sufficiently on the other not only to start but to keep going the wheels of industry in mining, manufacturing and agriculture, including distribution.

There has been a general response and an encouraging warming up to the recovery law and plenty of gestures are being made in the direction of embracing this law with considerable flourish and display of patriotic fervor. If these gestures were all genuine and all those who are volunteering their services to become a part of the National Recovery Administration deep down in their hearts were in earnest about helping to make the NRA program a complete success the enforcement machinery could cheerfully be entrusted to these volunteers with assurance that the national recovery desired by most people would be brought to the point of realization as speedily as possible. But let us judge them by past and present acts.

It is nothing short of tragic to witness a law containing the possibilities and promise for betterment which is contained in the National Industrial Recovery Act being made the football and plaything of so many people whose chief activity in life has nearly always been lined up for the very opposite of what this new law stands for. Imagine people who have stood for low wages, long hours and open shop conditions now rushing to the front to take a leading part in the enforcement of a law whose sole purpose is to shorten hours of labor and increase wages.

For better than two generations Organized Labor has been fighting valiently against what often looked like hopeless odds to accomplish exactly what the National Recovery Act aims to accomplish. Yet there are plenty of candidates for NRA committee positions, who pretend they are with the President and for the NRA program, but who pull wires and manipulate to keep union representation down to a minimum and in some cases exclude them entirely.

Why should anybody who has been an advocate of the open shop be entrusted with making, shaping or enforcing any portion of the NRA program? If it is to be made a success at all it will naturally be done by people who believe that Organized Labor has a right to exist and should be recognized and dealt with as a living part of our industrial organism. The whole contention of the open shopper is diametrically opposed to the principles laid down in the National Industrial Recovery Act. How can people holding such a viewpoint be entrusted with the enforcement of a law, whose principles they have opposed all their lives?

To put the National Industrial Recovery Act over it will be absolutely essential to have men and women placed in charge of the enforcement of it, who first of all believe in it and who are well enough posted to know what it is all about. Who is better qualified than persons thoroughly schooled in trade union principles and who have been spending the better portion of their time and effort in advancing the very principles now incorporated in the National Industrial Recovery Act?

To make a success of the National Industrial Recovery Act the opposition to Organized Labor must be removed and that will require all the power that Organized Labor and a government friendly to labor can exert to enforce a sufficient NRA program to accomplish in the main its aims and purposes, but even these forces combined and working together to the highest degree of efficiency which is possible will not be able to go far enough to end unemployment and increase the buying power of the masses sufficiently to banish the present depression unless a sufficient enlightened public opinion in favor of such a solution can be developed to actually put the program over regardless of whether the enemies of Organized Labor like it or not.

This is no time to be squeamish about the matters that are involved in the tremendous push which is developing to put the N. I. R. A. over. If the present NRA forces fall down on the job in various localities or become mere pawns for obstructionists, who are plotting to undermine and destroy the effectiveness of the National Industrial Recovery Act, then another new deal will be needed to replace such obstructionists with men and women of sufficient vision, ability and courage to put this law over.

JOURNAL'S AMUSEMENT SECTION

PARAMOUNT

With the splendid feature, "Broadway to Hollywood," originally booked into the Paramount theater, word was received that the one picture that the theater has been after for weeks was finally secured. The result is that Katherine Hepburn, the meteoric, sensational star is at the Paramount in her smashing success "Morning Glory."

All the world loves a lover. And all the world adores a fighter. That is the reason why "Morning Glory" has achieved such a tremendous success with audiences all over the country with the result that the picture has been held over for extra runs wherever it has played. Another reason is the magic of Hepburn. The lure, the charm and the histrionic ability of this meteoric star—the genius of Hepburn to positively intrigue and enthrall the audiences.

The Paramount telephones have been busy for weeks. Queries coming in asking when Hepburn would be there. In the meanwhile her picture "Morning Glory," has been been breaking records in the largest cities in the country.

Douglas Fairbanks Jr. plays opposite the star and Adolphe Menjou is also featured in the picture. In the supporting cast are Mary Duncan, C. Aubrey Smith, Don Alvarado and Richard Carle.

FOX-ORPHEUM

Friday the Fox-Orpheum will present a gigantic stage and screen show. The feature film will be "Broadway To Hollywood," and on the stage in person Marjorie White, popular film comedienne.

"Broadway to Hollywood" has a brilliant array of stars including Alice Brady, Jackie Cooper, Jimmie Durante, Frank Morgan, Madge Evans, Eddie Quillan, May Robson and Ted Alexander. The story starts in the first dawn of vaudeville. It then goes down time to the reign of Lillian Russell with "Diamond" Jim Brady gleaming from a theater-box, and shows three generations of troupers marching proudly down the years.

On the stage in person is Marjorie White, comedy start of "Sunnyside Up" and many other Fox pictures. Miss White will be assisted by Eddie Sierney, a Broadway favorite. Other headline acts on the same bill are Sully and Thomas, the Three Blue Blazors, Goodrich and Shaffer and Jimmie Ray. Hermie King and the Orpheum band complete the stage festivities.

UNITED ARTISTS—BERKELEY

"Torch Singer," starring Claudette Colbert, Ricardo Cortez, Lyda Roberti, David Manners and Baby LeRoy will occupy the screen, making this one of the most impressive combined stage and screen shows to appear locally.

Danny O'Shea, who has a colorful career on stage and screen to his credit, has played featured roles with Norma Shearer in "Back Stage;" "The Vagabond Lover," with Rudy Vallee; "Manhattan Cocktail," with Nancy Carroll, and a series of short subjects. Outstanding among his many stage appearances are featured roles in Ziegfeld's Follies, Earl Carroll's Vanities, and the Grauman engagement in Hollywood.

O'Shea's band started a three-day engagement yesterday on the stage. A program of the latest hits and several novel specialty numbers have been arranged for the engagement, which has its final showings on Saturday.

Paramount's "Too Much Harmony," opens Sunday, October 22.

PREMIER

Last times today Joan Blondell, Bette Davis and Warren Williams in "Three On a Match" and Adolphe Menjou in "The Night Club Lady."

"Three On a Match" is a dramatic, sophisticated modern tale based on the superstition concerning the use of the same match by three persons. Warren Williams has one of the most unusual roles of his career, while Joan Blondell, Bette Davis and Ann Dvorak are the trio of young women who have diverse careers.

In "The Night Club Lady" Adolphe Menjou is supported by a large capable cast.

Coming to the theater on Saturday will be Will Rogers in "Too Busy to Work," and Warren Williams and Guy Kibbee in "Dark Horse." The attractions on Sunday and Monday will be Richard Barthelmess and Bette Davis in "Cabin In the Cotton" and Victor McLaglen and Greta Nissen in "Rackety Rax."

A series of talking short subjects, including a news reel, comedy, and scenic, are offered in conjunction with each double feature bill.

Only one American has won the Nobel prize for literature, Sinclair Lewis, in 1930.

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Ansel Electric Co., 1401 Park St., Alameda

St. Paul Firemen Win Cost-of-Living Pay Suit

St. Paul, Minn.—Members of Local No. 21, International Association of Fire Fighters, have won a hatly-contested suit in District Court here to compel the city to live up to a wage contract with its employes.

F. L. Lundstrum, secretary of the local, explains that in 1922 the city council passed an ordinance providing that pay of classified service employes should be computed on the living cost base established by the June survey of the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics. During the boom years, when commodity prices, soared, the firemen's wages lagged.

So when the city council in 1932, early in the depression, had up an ordinance cutting city wages, the firemen tried unsuccessfully to obtain an exemption. When many of them thought it a lost cause, the majority decided otherwise and placed the matter in the hands of a law firm, the local paying its retainer, the balance of their fee to be paid by beneficiaries on a contingent basis.

As a result of the court victory, the city has budgeted $57,000 as first installment on a total of approximately $250,000 the firemen will recieve.

Why Chicago's "Broke"

Chicago is in a deplorable financial condition and the reason is revealed in an official announcement that collections of 1931 real estate taxes have reached only 57.2 per cent of the total levied. More than $77,000,000 remains uncollected. Unpaid taxes for the four years, 1928-1931, aggregate $212,072,331. The 1932 taxes have not been levied.

Join Union Labor Post No. 1917, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Veterans' Preference Law Tested in Michigan Court

Detroit, Mich.—Harold E. Stoll, county register of deeds, who took action last January to test the constitutionality of the Veterans' Preference Act, expects an early decision from the Michigan Supreme Court.

Stoll, who challenged the law by discharging nine veterans employed by a previous administration, is strongly opposed to the act, though himself a war veteran. He declares that if the law is upheld, veterans once hired by a public official would be virtually appointed for life. The act stipulates that no veteran may be removed from office without cause and without a hearing on charges made against him. Stoll believes that the law will result in filling appointive offices with veterans, regardless of their fitness for the positions.

If the law is upheld, Stoll said, veterans will get a stranglehold on public office. "It was the same after the Civil War and the Spanish-American War," he added.

DEMAND THE UNION LABEL

Gompers Memorial Fund Totals $69,819

Washington, D. C. — The Samuel Gompers Memorial Fund had a balance of $69,819.06 at the close of the fiscal year, August 31, Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, reported to the 1933 convention of the federation here.

The total receipts from December 20, 1924, to August 31, amounted to $132,827.68, of which $15,016.45 was interest on fund investments. The expenses from January 12, 1929, to August 31 reached $63,008.62.

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Official Minutes of Central Labor Council

Oakland, Calif., October 9, 1933.

The regular meeting of the Central Labor Council of Alameda County was called to order on the above date at 8:00 p. m. by President Wm. P. Fee.

The following were noted as present:

Apple, Bowbeer, Carter, Casey, Caya, Church, Cowan, DeBlois, Dittmar, Dowdall, Doyle, J. H., Farro, Fee, Fulmer, Griffin, Halloran, Hittle, Kuebler, Larripa, Larson, J. A., Lawrence, J., Manning, Martin, McArthur, Miller, J. F., Miller, N. H., Murphy, Nelson, O'Kane, Phillips, Rodgers, Rowell, Sommermeyer, Spooner, Sweeney, M., Sweeney, P., Theobald, Wallace.

Report of Business Agent—

For the Week ending, October 9, 1933. Adopted.

Credentials—

No credentials.

Communications —

From the Coopers' International Union, asking the support of the public in having brewers use union-made barrels instead of steel barrels made under non-union conditions and which are a poor substitute for wooden barrels. The communication was ordered filed and the delegates requested to take note.

From the American Federation of Labor regarding the organization of those industries which come under the jurisdiction of national and international unions. Filed for reference.

From the American Federation of Labor, requesting that a determined effort be made to have labor representatives on all local NRA committees and boards. Communication ordered complied with.

From the Brotherhood of Boilermakers' Local No. 39, enclosing following resolution which they asked the Council to approve of:

Resolved, That item "I" of the National Council of American Ship Builders' code be striken out as it is detrimental to the best interests of the Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, Welders and Helpers' Union Local No. 39 of Northern California, and be it

Further Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to Hugh Johnson, director of the National Industrial Recovery Act, and a copy sent to the Central Labor Council of Alameda County, and to all Labor Councils in the State of California and to all daily newspapers.

The resolution after explanation by Secretary Spooner was concurred in.

Bills—

Bills were referred to the trustees for audit.

Reports of Committees—

The executive committee recommended that the request of the Ice Wagon Drivers and Helpers' Union Local No. 610 anent placing Bell's Ice Delivery, 2647 Fruitvale avenue on the official "We Don't Patronize" list be complied with.

The report of the executive committee and the recommendation submitted was concurred in.

Trustees' Report—

Trustees reported favorably on bills presented; report accepted, warrants ordered drawn and bills paid.

Approval of Minutes—

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as published in the East Bay Labor Journal.

Reports of Unions—

Delegate McArthur reported regarding a matter in connection with the campaign against the De Luxe Laundry which is listed on the official "We Don't Patronize" list.

Delegate Carter of the Brotherhood of Teamsters' Union Local No. 70, reported regarding the organization work that is being carried on by his union and thanked the secretary of the Council for his co-operation. He also reported that Delegate J. Marshall, president of the Brotherhood of Teamsters' Union Local No. 70, had been operated on last Friday. He also stated that his membership is anxiously awaiting some information from the convention of the American Federation of Labor regarding the jurisdictional dispute between the Brewery Workers and his organization.

Delegate Sommermeyer of the Milk Wagon Drivers' Union Local No. 302 stated that the outlook looks good for his organization. He stated that his organization had adopted a resolution urging that all milk be purchased from union milk wagon drivers and asked the delegates for their co-operation in this important matter.

Delegate Theobald of the Journeymen Barbers' Union Local No. 134, urged that an insistent demand be made for the union-shop card of his craft.

Delegate Hittle of the Oakland Printing Pressmen and Assistants' Union Local No. 125, reported that the campaign is still on against the Berkeley Gazette and the J. C. Penney Stores and asked the co-operation of the delegates. He also reported regarding the successful efforts of the officers of the Allied Printing Trades Council in having a large printing order placed in a union shop in this jurisdiction.

Brother Rogers of the Auto Mechanics' Union Lodge No. 1546, made a very progressive report regarding the organization work being accomplished by his craft.

Delegate Wallace of the Molders' Union Branch No. 164, spoke regarding the good work that can be done for the union card and union label by having the ladies of the home joining in with the campaign for the label.

Delegate Sweeney of the Electrical Workers' Union Local No. 50, reported that his organization has received a large number of applications to date with the prospects for many more in the near future.

Unfinished Business—

Secretary reported no unfinished business on the desk.

New Business—

No new business.

Report of Secretary-Treasurer—

For the week ending October 9, 1933. Adopted.

Adjournment—

There being no further business appearing the Council then adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
WM. A. SPOONER, Secretary.

AFL Building Fund Has $50,452 Balance

Washington, D. C.—The American Federation of Labor Building Fund closed the A. F. of L. fiscal year with a balance of $50,452.54, according to the report of William Green, Frank Morrison and James O'Connell, trustees of the building.

The total reseipts were $32,507.09 and the expenses of maintenance $23,649.34.

Hopkins Fixes Medical Aid Rules For Jobless

Washington, D. C.—Rules governing the expenditure of federal funds for medical, nursing and dental care of sick and destitute unemployed persons who are "on relief" were announced by Harry L. Hopkins, federal emergency relief administrator.

The regulations seek to improve conditions of service for the unemployed, the professions and the relief officials in the localities under the immediate supervision of which the needy sick are cared for.

The use of federal relief money for medical care is limited to service in the home or office call. Federal funds cannot be used to pay hospital bills or for treatment in nursing homes or clinics. Office service for ambulatory patients is permitted, on the understanding that it shall not supplant the services of clinics already provided in the community.

The essence of the Relief Administration's policy was declared to be the recognition of the traditional family and family-physician, physician-nurse and dentist-patient relationship in the authorization of medical nursing and emergency dental care of indigent persons in their homes, and agreement by the physician, nurse and dentist to "furnish the same type of service as would be rendered to a private patient, at a minimum consistent with good professional judgment, and an agreed rate which makes due allowance for conservation of relief funds."

"The common aim," Mr. Hopkins said, "should be the provision of good medical service at a low cost —to the mutual benefit of indigent patient, physician, nurse, dentist and taxpayer."

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Morrison Asks 40 Hours For Editorial Writers

Washington, D. C. — The 40-hour week in the daily newspaper code should be accorded to all editorial writers excepting those receiving $75 a week or more, Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, told the National Recovery Administration in the hearing on the code.

Mr. Morrison also offered an additional amendment under which persons gathering, writing or editing news would receive a minimum weekly salary of not less than the wages paid to the highest class of skilled mechanics employed on the same newspaper, and that they observe the same hours of work as the skilled mechanics.

The provision of the code which drew Mr. Morrison's criticism is that which declares that professional employes, "within which class may be included reporters receiving in excess of $35 a week," shall not be covered by the code for the industry.

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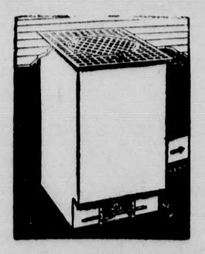


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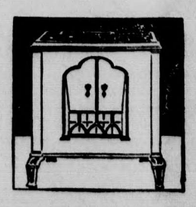
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CALIFORNIA STATE FEDERATION OF LABOR URGES UNIFORM RESALE PRICE FOR MILK

Points to Evils of Unfair Competition and Reduced Consumption — Objects to Store Price-Cutting as Injurious to Milk Industry

At its Annual Convention at Monterey last week, the California State Federation of Labor adopted the following resolutions. What these resolutions say applies 100% to the situation in Alameda county, where the Co-operative Dairymen's League, Labor and most of the Milk Dealers are fighting for a Milk Marketing Agreement under the Agricultural Adjustment Administration that will establish and enforce a uniform resale price, and end the evils pointed out by the California State Federation of Labor:

WHEREAS, the President of the United States in his wisdom has asked all the people of our country to band together to strive to restore economic prosperity necessary to make our lives worth living, and

WHEREAS, it has been found necessary by him and his counselors to ask all industries and their employees to join hands and so conduct themselves that there will be the best of co-operation, mutual consideration and good will in the land; and

WHEREAS, he has asked that in the conduct of every industry unfair tactics be stopped, in order that the business might be run in a profitable manner so necessary to the continuance of general prosperity; and

WHEREAS, it has been found by investigating commissions appointed by the Federal Government at various times in different sections of our country that the fluid milk industry is suffering from conditions of unfair competition brought about by the handling of fluid milk by grocery stores, where the price charged to consumers is less than that charged by the dairies delivering it by vehicles and also tends to cut down the consumption of milk used by reason of the irregularity of the purchasing of milk by consumers at grocery stores, all of which reflects upon the industry as a whole to its injury and to those engaged therein; and

WHEREAS, aforesaid condition has brought about unemployment in the ranks of milk wagon drivers and this result is contrary to the principles of the Industrial Recovery Act, and also contrary to the principles of Organized Labor, which favor regularity of employment and the elimination of all unfair competition, so as to bring about fair and uniform conditions of labor and business to all engaged and dependent upon the prosperity of each particular industry; therefore be it

RESOLVED, THAT THE CALIFORNIA STATE FEDERATION OF LABOR, IN CONVENTION ASSEMBLED, INSTRUCT ITS SECRETARY TO IMMEDIATELY COMMUNICATE WITH SECRETARY WALLACE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, URGING HIM TO USE HIS EFFORTS TO ELIMINATE UNFAIR COMPETITION IN THE SALE OF FLUID MILK, AND TO ESTABLISH A UNIFORM RESALE PRICE FOR SAME.

COMMENT BY THE CO-OPERATIVE DAIRYMEN'S LEAGUE

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The Central Labor Council of Alameda County Asks That You DO NOT Patronize

UNFAIR THEATERS LISTED IN THE LABOR JOURNAL

The Regent Theater, 1116 Broadway; the Moulin Rouge (formerly Gem) Theater, 485 Eighth St.; the Royal (formerly Fern) Theater, 9717 East Fourteenth Street.

SEE LIST IN THIS NEWSPAPER

Royal Theater Operating Long Hours at Low Wage, Is Report; Not Abiding By NRA

According to reports the non-union Royal theater, 9717 East Fourteenth street, is working its employes on a long hour schedule and paying a much lower wage than union theaters here.

This theater has been operating on a non-union basis for a number of months past, which means that inexperienced men are employed to operate the highly inflammable movie machines, and at no time has the owner seen fit to pay a decent wage scale or work less than the twelve-hour day.

Paying a peon's wage at this time, especially when the President of the United States has asked all employers to increase wages and shorten the hours of labor, is unbecoming an American employer and is in direst violation of the NRA.

We are told, that this theater, like all other non-union theaters, has been displaying the Blue Eagle to induce patronage and we are also informed that unless this violation ceases the Blue Eagle will be withdrawn from the theater.

The Royal theater does not want the patronage of Organized Labor or its friends under these circumstances and the membership of the Moving Picture Operators' Union are requesting that you refrain from patronizing this theater until it adjusts its differences with the union.

Keep away from all theaters listed on the "We Don't Patronize" list of this Journal.

Insurance Official Tried For Embezzling Huge Sum

Chicago, Ill.—Ernest J. Stevens, former official of the defunct Illinois Life Insurance Company, went on trial here in Criminal Court on the charges of embezzling $1,250,000 of insurance company funds. The prosecution charged that Stevens, with others of his family interested in the company, invested the money in their hotel projects in violation of the law.

The victims in the failure of the life insurance company were largely wage earners of modest means who lost both premiums paid and future insurance, many of them being too old to take out new policies.

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Big Increase in Employment Listed For New York State

Albany, N. Y.—The sharpest July-to-August ever recorded by the State Labor Department raised factory employment in New York State 6.2 per cent and factory pay rolls 6.7 per cent, the department's Division of Statistics announced.

New York City, Binghamton and Syracuse led the way. Employment in the five metropolitan boroughs jumped 7.8 per cent, and in the up-State cities 8 and 11.4 per cent, respectively. It was the fifth consecutive monthly rise since the recovery began, the department said.

"A large number of firms reported increases in wage rates and decreases in working hours due to their adherance to either individual industry codes under the NRA or to the President's Re-employment Agreement," said Elmer F. Andrews, Industrial Commissioner.

Girls in Tokio, Japan, are adopting the pajama ensemble for street wear.

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912.

Of East Bay Labor Journal, published weekly at Oakland, California, for October 1, 1933.
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Before me, a notary public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared J. H. Quinn, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Business Manager of the East Bay Labor Journal and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of October, 1933.
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(My commission expires October 14, 1936.)

AUXILIARY NOTES

HOW THE WOMEN ARE HELPING THROUGH THEIR ORGANIZATIONS

Notes of Ladies' Auxiliary of the Carpenters No. 160

Luncheon and Whist

Sure, we are all going to the luncheon and whist November 7. Time: Tuesday, November 7; place, auditorium of Capwell-Sullivan & Furth. Friends! Why sure, bring your friends. Score cards, 35 cents.

Meeting

Be sure and attend the meeting Monday evening, October 16th. The brothers of No. 36 are going to entertain us. Committee: Bros. Lindholm, Jennings and Zeiss. Be sure and bring friend husband with you.

TESSIE O'LEARY, Press Cor.

Notes of Ladies' Auxiliary of I. A. of M. No. 97

Message to Charter Members and Past Presidents:

You done your best in years gone by
To those who came to your good times.
"Always welcome" was your greeting sign.
Good times, you bet, we'll never forget.
Memories, sweet memories, linger yet,
With laughter, eats, fable and song
Your evenings were never any too long.
Three cheers for Charter Members and Past Presidents, our dear sisters,
May you ever be happy and true
Is the wish of the Sisters of No. 97.

Attend Meeting Friday Eve., Oct 13

We request every member who can attend the reception tendered the Charter Members and Past Presidents on Friday evening, Oct. 13th.

Chairman Marie Dixon and committee will be on the job to attend to the eats and entertainment and are working hard to make this night one long to be remembered. Do not disappoint them by remaining away.

Note: Councilman J. H. Quinn cannot be present due to a special city council meeting tonight.

Past Presidents' Club

It was reported that the Past Presidents held a meeting at the home of International Vice President Christina Swan Tuesday, Oct. 3rd, Sister Agnes Hines presiding. Ways and means for raising money and to help the needy were discussed. After the close of the meeting dainty refreshments were served. Sister Agnes Hines was the hostess.

Silver Anniversary

Brother Geo. Adams of Machinists' Lodge No. 284, and Sister Gussie Adams of No. 97 were agreeably surprised by the members of Los Amigos Country Club Saturday evening, October 7th, at their home 1818 Goss street.

The occasion was their twenty-fifth anniversary. The club presented them with a beautiful silver cake plate, richly engraved by Mrs. Chas. Ring of the club.

The mock wedding provided the big laugh of the evening.

Mrs. E. C. Barnes gave away the "bride." Mrs. W. C. O'Leary bridesmaid; Mrs. O. L. Bunyard, flower girl; W. C. O'Leary, best man; Mrs. V. B. Evans, pastor. Vocal numbers were rendered by Mrs. J. H. Boyer, "O, Promise Me," and "I Love You Truly." Costumes were gorgeous.

Refreshments were served and President Mr. E. Barnes extended congratulations from the club to Mr. and Mrs. George Adams.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Bunyard, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ring, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boyer, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Loucks, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reed, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. O'Leary. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Drury and Mrs. P. H. Middents sent their regrets for not being able to be present.

TESSIE O'LEARY, Press Cor.

Printing Trade Unions Demand 32-Hour Week

I. T. U. President Declares 40-Hour Week Proposed in Code Would Not Reabsorb Unemployment.

Washington, D. C.—At hearings on a NRA code for the commercial printing industry, organized printing trades workers demanded that the code provide a maximum 32-hour week with a minimum wage of 50 cents an hour. Longer hours will not reduce unemployment in the trade, labor spokesmen insisted.

Labor's case for the 32-hour week was presented by Charles P. Howard, president of the International Typographical Union, who spoke on behalf of the International Allied Printing Trades Association.

Protesting against the 40-hour week proposed in various codes submitted by employers' organizations, President Howard said a 40-hour week would not reabsorb the unemployed. He added:

"The 40-hour week required by the President's re-employment agreement has not scratched the surface of unemployment in the printing industry."

The proposed code, President Howard said, "was formulated not in the spirit of ascertaining how much the industry could rightfully contribute, but how little it was necessary to concede."

Mr. Howard said that the 32-hour week would be limited to four eight-hour days. Overtime for any individual he would allow so long as the total work in five weeks did not exceed 160 hours and time and a half were paid for the excess over eight hours a day.

Guaranty Goes Through

Despite the protests of the American Bankers' Association at is convention in Chicago recently, the Roosevelt administration is proceeding with its plans for insurance of bank deposits, beginning next January.

Michigan Bankers on Trial For Defrauding Depositors

Detroit, Mich.—Charged with accepting deposits, knowing that their bank was insolvent and with intent to defraud, five prominent Clare County bankers went on trial here. The defendants were officers of the closed Clare County Savings Bank, which suspended business on May 21, 1932. A grand jury investigation resulted in indictments in July of this year.

The trial attracted State-wide attention, as it was the first instance since any of the many bank closings that bank officials have been tried on charges involving deposits. It is regarded as a test case and the outcome may serve as a precedent to determine the liability of bankers in reference to deposits.

The Clare bank had $1,000,000 deposits at the time it closed. Many wage earners lost heavily in the failure.

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